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Dear Sir:

Please provide us with an update regarding the status of the above-identified patent application. For your information, we have not received any information since the Appeal Brief was filed on January 27, 2005. Accordingly, please inform us of the status of this application.

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